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## **RESOLUTION 2014- 150**

## RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE REMOVAL OF MADISON BUFFALO JUMP STATE PARK FROM THE LIST OF PRIMITIVE STATE PARKS AS LISTED UNDER SECTION 23-1-116, MCA

ATTEST:

Charlotte Mills, Clerk & Recorder

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#### **RESOLUTION 222-2014**

## RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE REMOVAL OF MADISON BUFFALO JUMP STATE PARK FROM THE LIST OF PRIMITIVE STATE PARKS AS LISTED UNDER SECTION 23-1-116, MCA

WHEREAS, the Three Forks City Council deems it necessary for the benefit of the public to ensure access for those with disabilities, Madison Buffalo Jump State Park should be removed from the list of Montana State Parks deemed as Primitive. This would allow the Montana State Park system the opportunity to pave the access road to the interpretive pavilion and make other improvements to the parking area, interpretation and sanitary facilities. These actions are currently prevented or restricted under the Primitive Parks Act referenced above.

We consider Madison Buffalo Jump State Park to be an important part of our cultural history which we wish to share with visitors to our community. Those visitors and the economic benefit they bring to our area are important to the vitality of our community.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Three Forks City Council does hereby support the removal of the Madison Buffalo Jump State Park from the State's Primitive Park List.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 25th day of November, 2014.

Steven B. Hamilton, Mayor

ATTEST:

Crystal Turner, City Clerk

### **RESOLUTION NO. 15-001**

# A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MANHATTAN SUPPORTING THE REMOVAL OF MADISON BUFFALO JUMP STATE PARK FROM THE LIST OF PRIMITIVE STATE PARKS AS LISTED UNDER SECTION 23-1-116, MCA

WHEREAS, for the benefit of the public and to ensure access for those with disabilities, Madison Buffalo Jump State Park should be removed from the list of Montana State Parks deemed as Primitive, and;

WHEREAS, delisting the Madison Buffalo Jump State Park as Primitive would allow the Montana State Park system the opportunity to pave the access road to the interpretive pavilion and make other improvements to the parking area, and interpretation and sanitary facilities, and:

WHEREAS, the current designation of the Madison Buffalo Jump State Park as Primitive prevents or restricts such upgrades under the Primitive Parks Act as referenced in Section 23-1-116, MCA, and;

WHEREAS, the Manhattan Town Council considers the Madison Buffalo Jump State Park to be an important part of our cultural history which we wish to share with visitors to our community, and;

WHEREAS, visitors to the Madison Buffalo Jump State Park and surrounding area provides an economic benefit that is vital to our community.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Manhattan Town Council does hereby support the removal of the Madison Buffalo Jump State Park from Montana's Primitive Park List.

Passed and adopted this 8th day of January, 2015.

David Rowell, Mayor

Attest:

Clerk/Treasurer